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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD:

Senator Saltonstall called the Director and stated that the Defense budget bill was coming up on the Floor on Monday, and that he wanted to be able to answer any possible questions, and hence would like to have the figures on personnel and the amount of money. He asked whether the Director had got the memo on this matter into Senator Hayden's hands.

The Director said that he had spoken to Senator Hayden about the possibility of bringing this to him, but that no appointment had been set up. Senator Saltonstall said he thought it was very important that Senator Hayden have this memo at least by Monday morning, and possibly today, and the Director said he would call Senator Hayden again and try to arrange a time to see him and give him the memo which he had before him.

There was some discussion about the advisability of giving Senator Dworshak the budget figures, and Mr. Dulles reaffirmed his conviction that the information should be held to the subcommittee members and should go no further. He said this has always been the case on the House side and that it had worked out very well. Senator Saltonstall said he realized this is a very tough question; and the Director said he would leave it to his discretion as to whether he should tell Senator Dworshak, but that he felt it would be better if this need not be done.

The Director then gave Senator Saltonstall the approximate figures from the memorandum he had before him, and said that he would see that Senator Hayden had the memorandum by Monday morning.

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